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HOUSE BILL 783

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

INTRODUCED BY

MARY HELEN GARCIA

AN ACT

RELATING TO IMMIGRANTS; ALLOWING IMMIGRANTS TO PARTICIPATE IN  
THE CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM - IMMIGRANT  
PARTICIPATION. -- Immigrants may participate in the child and  
adult care food program administered by the children, youth and  
families department. The state shall opt out of enforcing  
immigration restrictions on participation in the program.

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# **State of New Mexico House of Representatives**

**FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SESSION, 1997**

**February 24, 1997**

**Mr. Speaker:**

**Your JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred**

**HOUSE BILL 783**

**has had it under consideration and reports same with  
recommendation that it DO PASS, and thence referred to the  
APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

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**Thomas P. Foy, Chairman**

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

The roll call vote was 8 For 1 Against

Yes: 8

No: Mallory

Excused: M P. Garcia, Pederson, Rios, Sanchez

Absent: None

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# **State of New Mexico House of Representatives**

**FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SESSION, 1997**

**March 6, 1997**

**Mr. Speaker:**

**Your APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE, to  
whom has been referred**

**HOUSE BILL 783**

**has had it under consideration and reports same with  
recommendation that it DO NOT PASS, but that**

**HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE  
SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL 783**

**DO PASS.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

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**Max Coll, Chairman**

**FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE  
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**Date \_\_\_\_\_**

**The roll call vote was 10 For 1 Against**

**Yes: 10**

**No: Buffett**

**Excused: Bird, Heaton, Marquardt, Pearce, Saavedra, Watchman**

**Absent: None**

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HOUSE BILL 783

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

AN ACT

RELATING TO WELFARE REFORM; PROVIDING THAT LEGAL IMMIGRANTS AND  
UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANTS RECEIVE CERTAIN SERVICES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. SOCIAL AND EDUCATION SERVICES--PROVIDED TO  
LEGAL AND UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANTS. --

A. Legal immigrants shall be eligible to receive the  
following services and programs from the state:

- (1) emergency medical and health services;
- (2) Title 20 social services;
- (3) state child care assistance;
- (4) women, infants and children nutrition

programs and other commodity benefits; and

- (5) child and adult care food programs.

B. Undocumented immigrants shall be eligible to  
receive health services from the state.

C. Immigrants may participate in the child and adult

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care food program administered by the children, youth and families department. The state shall opt out of enforcing immigration restrictions on participation in the program.

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